

### Discover the traits of highly successful people with:

## "FLASH & 5-Key Interview Questions"

#### **■** Fast-Forward Fit

■ One of our critical KEY Deliverables is <u>XXX</u>. Can you describe your most comparable past success? A great 1<sup>st</sup> round interview question.

# **■** Leadership

■ Please share with me your most significant success in leading (or ask about: building, managing, or participating) a team for a major project? Draw the org chart!

# ■ Adaptability

■ How would the resources in our environment affect your ability to be successful with us? (Hint: Listen to their questions) Caution: This is a 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> round interview question.

## **■ Success Without Excuses**

■ Give me an example of when you completed a major project, including the end results? Who, what, why, how & when?

# **■ High Initiative**

■ Give me an example of where you have demonstrated initiative? (i.e.: solved a problem/ presented a solution without being asked!) A great 1<sup>st</sup> round interview question

Avoid the top ten least helpful interview questions listed below. Although "nice to know" these elicit a subjective response. Ask them later - if you feel they were not answered with the "FLASH & 5-Key Interview Questions" listed above.

- Can you tell me a little about yourself?
- What are your strengths?
- What are your weaknesses?
- Why do you want to work here?
- Why did you leave your last job?
- Why should I hire you?
- How do you feel about
- Where do you see yourself in 5-10 years?
- How do you feel about working long hours?
- If you were an animal or a tree, what would you be?